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Subject: Follow-Up Conference Call on Minnesota NPDES and Petition to Withdraw- documents

Hi Barbara,
 Could you provide an update on sharing these documents?

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From: Paula Maccabee <pmaccabee@justchangelaw.com>
Date: Wednesday, August 10, 2016 at 9:02 AM
To: Barbara Wester <wester.barbara@epa.gov>
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Hello Barbara,

This is just quick reminder that in our conference call last week, you and other EPA Region 5 staff said you would be sending us the following documents:

- Draft NPDE/SDS permit for Northshore Mining Silver Bay (NPDES ID MN0055301).
- Draft State Review Framework (SRF) Report for Minnesota. Our understanding from discussions and materials in Fall 2015 was that WaterLegacy as well as the MPCA would have an opportunity to comment on this report, at least with respect to NPDES compliance and enforcement.
- Email of Kevin Pierard to Ann Foss at the MPCA (some time between 2011 and 2014) setting forth a framework of EPA expectations for NPDES permitting that would be applicable to the PolyMet NorthMet project and more specific than what has been provided in EPA comments related to NEPA.

Please let me know if you have any questions. WaterLegacy appreciates the work that the EPA is doing to improve the quality of Minnesota's waters and to ensure Minnesota's compliance with the Clean Water Act.

Best regards,
 Paula

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